October 30, 2008

County Clerk/Registrar of Voters (CC/ROV) Memorandum #08310

TO: All County Clerks/Registrars of Voters

FROM: Freder Model

Candidates & Elections, Program Manager

SUBJECT: November General: Reporting Official Canvass Results

Enclosed are the instructions for reporting your official canvass for the Statement of Vote (SOV) and the Supplement to the Statement of Vote (SSOV) to the Secretary of State. County specific forms will be provided via hardcopy and in a separate email to the election reporting contact on file in our office. The template files for both the SOV and the SSOV will be posted to the CalVoter workstation in-box by close of business Friday, October 31, 2008. Please contact Steven Carda or Jenny Chernis at (888) 868-3225 if you have difficulty locating downloading files.

There are three options for reporting your SOV and SSOV official canvass to us:

- Transmit SOV/SSOV template files via CalVoter, or
- Key SOV/SSOV data directly via the CalVoter application, or
- Complete and return the SOV/SSOV forms by mail (suggested certified mail)

#### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

December 2, 2008	E+28	County Completes Official Canvass
December 9, 2008	E+35	Official Canvass Received at SOS Office
December 13, 2008	E+39	SOS Certifies Elections and Produces SOV

If you have any questions, please call (888) VOTECAL or contact one of the following:

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Attachments

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING STATEMENT OF VOTE AND SUPPLEMENT TO THE STATEMENT OF VOTE

E+date	Date	Event	
E+28	12/02/2008	County canvass complete	
E+35	12/09/2008	Results of official canvass delivered to SOS	
E+39	12/13/2008	SOS certifies election and produces Statement of Vote	

### What we need from you:

**NO LATER** than E+35 (12/09/2008): Certified copy of election results (hardcopy), <u>and</u>

One of the following: Please be sure to indicate the total number

of ballots cast, the number of precinct ballots, and the number of vote-by-mail

ballots cast for your county.

SOV template file

SOV submitted via CALVOTER KDE screens

Completed SOV forms (attached), and

One of the following: SSOV template file

SSOV submitted via CALVOTER KDE screens

Completed SSOV forms (attached)

## **Checklist**

Completed SOV & SSOV Forms
HAVA Certificate
Qualified Write-In Form
Official Canvass
Official Canvass County Certification

Please be sure all items on the checklist are enclosed.

#### Pertinent Elections Code sections:

- 15374. (a) The statement of the result shall show all of the following:
  - (1) The total number of ballots cast.
- (2) The number of votes cast at each precinct for each candidate and for and against each measure.
- (3) The total number of votes cast for each candidate and for and against each measure.
- (b) The statement of the result shall also show the number of votes cast in each city, Assembly district, congressional district, senatorial district, State Board of Equalization district, and supervisorial district located in whole or in part in the county, for each candidate for the offices of presidential elector and all statewide offices, depending on the offices to be filled, and on each statewide ballot proposition.
- 15375. The elections official shall send to the Secretary of State within 35 days of the election in an electronic format in the manner requested one complete copy of all results as to all of the following:
  - (a) All candidates voted for statewide office.
  - (b) All candidates voted for the following offices:
  - Member of the Assembly.
  - (2) Member of the Senate.
  - (3) Member of the United States House of Representatives.
  - (4) Member of the State Board of Equalization.
  - (5) Justice of the Court of Appeal.
  - (6) Judge of the superior court.
- (c) All persons voted for at the presidential primary. The results for all persons voted for at the presidential primary for delegates to national conventions shall be canvassed and shall be sent within 28 days after the election.
- (d) The vote given for persons for electors of President and Vice President of the United States. The results for presidential electors shall be endorsed "Presidential Election Returns."
  - (e) All statewide measures.
  - (f) The total number of ballots cast.

15502. Within 120 days of the filing of the statement of the vote, the Secretary of State, upon the basis of the information provided, shall compile a supplement to the statement of the vote, showing the number of votes cast in each county, city, Assembly district, senatorial district, congressional district and Supervisorial district for each candidate for the offices of presidential elector, Governor, and United States Senator, depending on the offices to be filled, and on each statewide ballot proposition. A copy of this supplement shall be made available, upon request, to any elector of this state.

# County Vote Reporting Form Office of the Secretary of State November 4, 2008 – General Election Official Canvass of Votes for Qualified Write-In Candidates

County Name	
Contact Name	Contact Phone
	to report the total number of votes received for each qualified es not provide a breakdown of this information, please use this
All qualified write-in candidates are listed be <u>For each candidate</u> , <u>please indicate a total num</u> <u>write-in candidate listed</u> .	elow. nber of votes, zero votes, or N/A whether or not you have a
PRESIDENT CHUCK BALDWIN	
JAMES HARRIS	
FRANK MOORE	
RON PAUL	
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DIS PAMELA ELIZONDO	STRICT 1
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DIS DAVID B. LYNCH	STRICT 5
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DIS MICHELLE WONG CLAY	STRICT 8
LEA SHERMAN	
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DIS CHRISTOPHER KULA	STRICT 9
DAVID HELLER	
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DIS DAVID CHRISTENSEN	STRICT 11

Please return this document with your Official Canvass NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 9, 2008

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## CERTIFICATION OF COUNTY CLERK/REGISTRAR OF VOTERS TO THE RESULTS OF THE CANVASS OF THE NOVEMBER 4, 2008 GENERAL ELECTION

STATE OF CALIFORNIA		
COUNTY OF		
canvass the results of the votes of 2008 for measures and contests	, County Clerk/Registrar of Voters to the provisions of Elections Code Section 1 cast in the General Election held in said Couns that were submitted to the vote of the vehicles the certificate is attached, is full, true and contains the certificate is attached.	ity on November 4, oters, and that the
	official seal this day of	2008 at
COUNTY SEAL	Registrar of Voters  County of State of California	

## HELP AMERICA VOTE ACT OF 2002 CERTIFICATION OF ELECTIONS OFFICIAL

STATE OF CALIFORNIA			
COUNTY OF		- SS.	
Pursuant to the statewide America Vote Act of 2002 (HAV 15483),			
Ι,		, Registrar of	Voters for the
County of	Chapter 2 of Division held on the 4 <sup>th</sup> day o	_, State of Californ n 7 of Title 2 of the f November 2008 i	nia, hereby certify that ne California Code of in the County of
consolidated therewith.	, State	of California,	and all elections
I hereby set my hand and or	fficial seal this	day of	2008 at
the County of		·	
COUNTY SEAL	Registrar of Voters County of State of California		